

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE****In re patent application of****Sawasaki, et al.**

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For: GROUP III NITRIDE COMPOUND SEMICONDUCTOR LIGHT-EMITTING DEVICE

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**EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER**

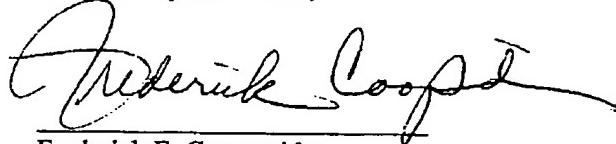
Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

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Total Claims	29 -	20	= 9	x \$18.00	\$ 162.00
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<b>TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT</b>					<b>\$ 162.00</b>

A check in the amount of \$162.00 to cover the excess claim fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

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